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Applicant: Yosuke AOKI et al. Conf.: 7722  
Appl. No.: 09/384,379 Group: 1641  
Filed: August 27, 1999 Examiner: B.T.L. Nguyen  
For: ANTI-HUMAN MEDULLASIN MONOCLONAL  
ANTIBODY, PROCESS FOR PRODUCING THE SAME  
AND IMMUNOASSAY USING THE SAME

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

October 15, 2002

Sir:

In reply to the Final Office Action dated May 15, 2002, the due date having been extended two months to October 15, 2002, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

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AMENDMENTS

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IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 1-4 without prejudice to or disclaimer of the subject matter contained therein.

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